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The filing receipt fails to identify the foreign priority applications of the present application. This application claims priority of Japanese Patent Application Nos. 2002-292239 filed October 4, 2002; 2002-352283 filed December 4, 2002; and 2002-376972 filed December 26, 2002. These applications should be identified in the "Foreign Applications" section of the filing receipt.

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The present application is a 371 of PCT/JP2003/012707, as correctly noted on the filing receipt. Certified copies of the priority documents were submitted to the International Bureau in compliance with PCT Rule 17.1(a) or (b) and receipt of said documents and compliance with the rules was acknowledged in form PCT/IB/304 ("Notification Concerning Submission or Transmittal of Priority Document"). A copy of form PCT/IB/304 was previously submitted to the Office on March 31, 2005. The form is available in the Image File Wrapper of the present application. However, for Office convenience, a copy of form PCT/IB/304 is provided herewith. Furthermore, the declaration submitted September 20, 2006, in the present application identified the priority applications and indicated that priority was claimed.

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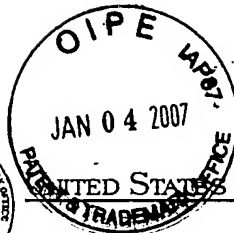
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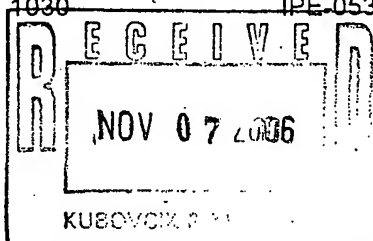
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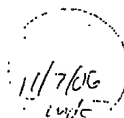
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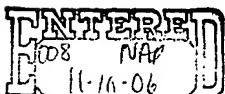
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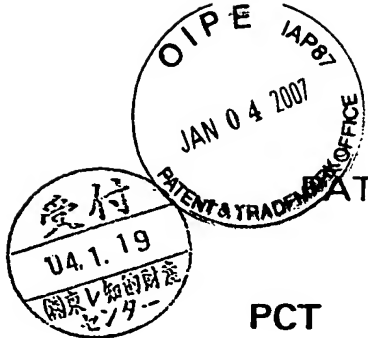
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